

11,249 VOTERS REGISTERED FOR PRIMARY IN COCHISE; DEMOCRATS LEAD WITH 8,108

According to figures given out by County Recorder H. L. Hutchison, the registration for the primary election is 11,249. Of this number 8,108 are Democrats; 2,917 Republicans and 226 miscellaneous. There may be a few more added to this number from some of the outlying precincts that have not reached the office.

Two years ago there were registered for the primary 11,566 voters which, compared with this year, shows a loss of registration this year of 317 voters. The Democrats made a gain of 176 voters while the Republican registration shows a decrease of 398 and the miscellaneous a loss of 126. The registration two years ago was: Democrats, 7889; Republicans, 3225 and miscellaneous 352.

The registration for the past week or up to September 1, when the registration closed for the primary election were, Democrats 793, Republicans 223 and miscellaneous 6, making a total for the week of 1022.

Mr. Hutchison has a large force at work at present completing the precinct registers for the coming primary election and a tabulated list of voters in each precinct will soon be ready for the public, he stated today.

CATTLE CONVENTION AT WILLCOX WELL ATTENDED

WILLCOX, Ariz., Sept. 5.—The semi-annual convention of the Cochise-Graham Stockgrowers' association, met in this city yesterday morning, the attendance being quite large and including besides the stockmen many local and state candidates.

Next Meeting at Safford

At the close of the business session today it was agreed that the next semi-annual convention of the Cochise-Graham Stockgrowers' association should be held at Safford in Graham county.

RANCHER HELD ON TECHNICAL CHARGE PENDING INQUEST

PHOENIX, Sept. 6.—W. R. Collier is held by authorities on a technical charge of murder pending an inquest set for this afternoon, into the death of R. C. Elliott, who was shot and killed by Collier after an argument between the two at the Elliott ranch, six miles south of Tempe, last night. Mrs. Elliott, former wife of the dead man, and her two small children, witnessed the tragedy.

After the shooting Collier surrendered himself to Tempe officers and was removed to the county jail here. This morning he was taken back to Tempe by Constable Wood to be held there until a coroner's jury verdict is returned. County Attorney R. E. L. Shepherd announced today that a charge of second degree murder probably will be filed against Collier.

BOY ADMITS AUTO THEFT; VIOLATED SCHOOL PAROLE

NOGALES, Sept. 6.—Thomas Hauser, 18, who was picked up several days ago while wandering in the mountains north of Nogales, and who is wanted by the Phoenix police on a charge of stealing an automobile, admitted that he had violated his parole from the state industrial school at Fort Grant, according to the police. He told the police here, it is said, that he drove from Phoenix to Tucson in the car the Phoenix police claim he stole. He said he left the auto in Tucson.

ARIZONA TAX BONDS SOLD TO NEW YORK TRUST FIRM

PHOENIX, Sept. 6.—State tax anticipation bonds amounting to \$1,250,000 were sold Friday by the state funding and loan commission to the Bankers Trust company of New York City, who submitted the highest of the six bids received by the commission.

The purchasers agreed to pay accrued interest to the date of delivery of the bonds, a premium of \$350, and to accept bonds bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum.

The bonds will be dated September 5, and will expire on December 30, a period of three and a half months.

Nogales lets contract for new water system.

FARMERS AND CATTLEMEN TRYING TO WORK SYSTEM FOR FATTENING ARIZONA CATTLE

PHOENIX, Sept. 6.—Meetings of the executive committee of the Arizona State Farm Bureau will be held hereafter as near the first of the month as possible. It was decided at the committee's meeting here this week. The principal business transacted was the election of G. M. Bridge, president of the Yuma County Farm Bureau, as a member of the committee to succeed George Kinne, of Pinal county, who resigned. A vote of thanks was extended Kinne for his work.

Activities of the state federation were covered by W. M. Cook, its manager, in his monthly report. Cook reported that although they were handicapped by a late start, the Arizona Grain Growers association and the Roosevelt Hay Growers association, two recently organized co-operative marketing organizations, are doing splendid work. The hay association expected to handle 10,000 tons of hay during the season and has obtained 40 warehouse for storage. The grain association has 7,000,000 pounds of wheat and expects the cost of handling to be not more than 10 cents per hundred pounds.

The Arizona Dairy Producers' association is completing a plan of operation, the report stated.

Co-operation of the federation in working out plans of field segregation and bale certification for the Pima cotton industry and in arranging a cattle feeding system whereby Arizona range cattle will be fattened on Arizona farms, also were covered in the report.

STOCK GROWERS OUTLOOK BRIGHT

TUCSON, Sept. 5.—Never during the past year have conditions been more favorable nor prospects brighter for the cattlegrowers of Arizona, according to a statement made yesterday by J. C. Kinney on his return here from the cattle centers of the middle west. Mr. Kinney is president of La Osa Livestock and Loan company, whose range, covering a greater part of the Altar valley above the Mexican border, is one of the largest and best known livestock holdings in Arizona.

This favorable condition, according to Mr. Kinney, is occasioned by the ideal condition of the Arizona cattle at present, which are sleek and in tip-top condition, and the fact that in a greater part of the corn belt bumper crops are maturing for the harvest.

This is especially true of Iowa, which state Mr. Kinney visited, and where, he says, the greatest corn crop in years has been raised. Within two weeks all danger of harm to this crop from frost will have passed. Mr. Kinney added, and the phenomenal crop will undoubtedly cause a big demand for feeder cattle.

Already Iowa has bought a lot of Arizona cattle, Mr. Kinney said, and there was no case brought to his attention where the buyer was not gratified with the results of his purchase. The Iowa farmers like Arizona cattle and the manner in which they take on weight under feeding, and the farmers will undoubtedly look to Arizona for further purchases, he believes.

MINING MECHANIC KILLED IN FALL INTO DEEP SHAFT

OATMAN, Sept. 6.—A. E. Nichols, employed on the Leland group near Oatman, was killed in the shaft when he slipped and fell into 80 feet of water. He had descended to adjust a piece of machinery. By pumping the water the body was floated and recovered. The skull had been fractured and the neck broken, probably by striking the side of the shaft.

PROCHASKA AGAIN ILL

PHOENIX, Sept. 5.—Joe V. Prochaska, state game warden, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is reported today as in a condition less favorable than that immediately following the operation. It is now feared that he will have to be returned to the hospital for a second operation.

SERGEANT HARRY ANDERSON SHOT THROUGH BOTH LEGS

BISBEE, Sept. 6.—Night Police Sergeant Harry Anderson, who Sunday escaped unscathed after a clash with a gang of Mexicans in Zacatecas canyon, was yesterday evening shot through both legs while engaged in the peaceful occupation of cleaning out a desk in City Marshal Wertz' office in the city hall.

Officer William Steger, who was also engaged in the battle with the Mexicans Sunday evening, was in the marshal's office about 5:30 yesterday evening and Anderson was in the jail corridors in the rear of the office. Steger removed his coat and gun and laid them on the marshal's desk, and then sauntered outside the office. Anderson, returning to the office grasped Steger's coat, without noticing the six shooter and started to hang the coat upon a hook. The six-shooter fell to the floor, striking first on the front sight and then on the hammer. A cartridge in the chamber was exploded. The bullet passed through the calf of the left leg. Then the bullet tore away two inches of varnish from the arm of a chair in front of the desk.

Although suffering intense pain, Anderson ran from the police station to the Calumet and Arizona dispensary. Here he was given medical attention and later removed to the C. & A. hospital. Late last night Anderson was reported resting easily. Both wounds were flesh wounds. It will probably be several weeks before Sergeant Anderson recovers sufficiently to resume his duties.

CANDIDATE HERE.

Dr. W. P. Sims, candidate for State Senator, spent the day in Tombstone today coming up from Benson and St. David. Speaking of local conditions Dr. Sims said: "I want to congratulate Tombstone on its enterprise in paving its streets and building a new \$50,000 school house, but there is one thing more I think Tombstone should get and that is an addition to the Cochise county court house that will house every county department under the same roof and not in rented buildings. It would be money saved for the taxpayers of Cochise county if a real office building addition that would not cost much, would be constructed and I am for it strong."

"Another thing. It has been reported here that I am being accused of having worked against Tombstone's interests in the county seat removal fight. All I ask is that anybody believing such a thing get the journals of the legislature and see how I voted and they will find that I worked to have the percentages raised which made the bill an absolutely fair measure."

OFFICER MORRIS EXONERATED BY CORONER'S JURY

BISBEE, Sept. 6.—A coroner's jury in Justice Craig's court last night exonerated Patrolman Clyde Morris of all blame for the mortal wounding Sunday evening of Enrique Loya, an alleged member of the band of Mexicans that ambushed Officers Steger and Morris in Zacatecas canyon.

After hearing the testimony of several witnesses, the jury retired and soon returned handing in a verdict that held that Morris shot Loya while in the discharge of his duties as a police officer.

The testimony given by witnesses at the inquest last night was practically the same as the account of the battle given yesterday morning. The testimony showed that the officers had been fired on and stoned when they attempted to quell a disturbance in the canyon, and that Morris shot Loya once when Loya for the second time, attempted to hurl a huge rock at the officer while Morris, Sergeant Anderson and Steger were lining Loya and six other Mexicans they had placed under arrest.

The six Mexicans held in the city jail for alleged connection with the affair, will be arraigned before Justice Craig at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

YAVAPAI SHERIFF DIES

PRESCOTT, Sept. 6.—Warren G. Davis, 46 years old, sheriff of Yavapai county for two terms, died at noon today following a pulmonary hemorrhage.

SMITH PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO CHARGE OF WRECKING BANK

PHOENIX, Sept. 6.—Alva E. Smith pleaded not guilty to three charges brought against him in connection with the wrecking of the Valley bank at Parker last July, when he was arraigned today before Justice of the Peace C. E. Day at Parker, according to a telegram received today by Governor Thomas E. Campbell, from Doane Merrill, state superintendent of banks, who is at Parker. Smith's preliminary hearing was set for Monday, September 18, at Parker. Bonds were fixed by Justice Day at \$25,000 on each charge and Smith was returned to the Yuma county jail at Yuma, where he is held in default of a total of \$75,000 bond.

Governor Campbell today also received a letter from Doane Merrill, written in Yuma Monday, in which the state superintendent of banks advises that Frank Thompson of Los Angeles, who, it is alleged was an accomplice of Smith in his alleged operations in the Parker banks and banks in Oklahoma, has been arrested in Salt Lake City and is being returned to Los Angeles.

UNIVERSITY CONCERTS AND LECTURES TO BE BROADCAST BY RADIO

High school assemblies throughout the state will soon enjoy, by radio, all speeches and concerts being given at the University of Arizona. This was made possible when the board of regents, at their recent meeting affirmed the appropriation requested of them by Dean G. M. Butler for the erection of a broadcasting radio plant.

The work of erecting a steel radio tower 150 feet high is to be effected at an early date under supervision of the university electrical engineering department.

The tower, from which will be flashed the musical numbers or lectures to a hundred high school audiences simultaneously, is to be placed directly east of the pergola and south of the campus swimming pool. From a 50-foot tower placed on the roof of the Mines building wires will be stretched to the larger tower.

The fact that radio broadcasting is now attracting so much attention together with the numerous requests that have come to the university from high school assemblies, caused Dean Butler to request an appropriation for the erection of an absolutely model radio equipment.

CONFESSED SLAYER WILL BE ARRAIGNED

FLORENCE, Sept. 6.—Miss Katherine Encinas will be arraigned here tomorrow charged with the murder last Wednesday of Dr. W. G. Randall. It is understood that County Attorney E. P. Patterson will ask that the woman's preliminary hearing will be set for September 16.

Miss Encinas still maintains an unbreakable silence in regard to her shooting of Dr. Randall. At the sheriff's office, it is the belief that she will enter a plea of not guilty to the murder charge.

Dr. Randall was shot dead while sitting in a rocking chair in the home of Miss Encinas, a nurse. After the shooting the woman walked across the street to the sheriff's office and told the officers she had killed Dr. Randall.

MARICOPA JUNCTION TO RETAIN OLD NAME

PHOENIX, Sept. 1.—Efforts on the part of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Phoenix to change the name of Maricopa to Phoenix Junction, as an advertising benefit to the capital city, have come to naught.

When the matter came up before the corporation commission the other day, the supervisors and county attorney of Pinal county were on hand to protest, but not a single advocate of the idea to change the name was present.

FALLS FROM FREIGHT

YUMA, Sept. 5.—William Hamilton, 20, of Kansas City, is at a hospital here suffering from concussion of the brain incurred when he fell from a freight train here today. He is not expected to live.

Visiting Celebrities Prove Southern States World's Champion Publicity Getters



Mary Margaret McBride, Noted Interviewer, Says All Famous Visitors Ask for Dixie

New York City—It makes no difference whether it's an immigrant unable to speak a word of English or a dignitary with half a dozen languages at his tongue's tip, after the visitor to this country has seen the Statue of Liberty and the Woolworth Tower, he always wants to know the whereabouts of "way down south in Dixie."

This is the discovery of Mary Margaret McBride, feature writer for the New York Evening Mail and other eastern publications whose daily business is the interviewing of celebrities.

"Invariably foreigners seem to have heard more about the south than any other section of the United States except New York," she declares.

South Arouses Curiosity

"I remember having tea at the Ritz with Mrs. W. L. George, just after the famous English writer brought his pretty bride here last winter. Mrs. George was trying, as she frankly admitted, to find out everything about America and she asked bushels of questions. 'Oh, I know I'll adore your south,' she said finally. 'It's so romantic!'"

"Others who have asked eagerly about Dixie were Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of the late Lord

Mayor of Ireland, Madame Marie Curie, of France, discoverer of radium and the other day, Frau Georg Michaelis, wife of the former chancellor to the German Kaiser. "Even Margot Asquith, for all her show of superiority, looked almost interested when Kentucky and Virginia were mentioned."

Lady Astor Solves Problem

"Since I'm from Paris, Missouri, myself, I always take the tributes to the south as a sort of personal compliment but I was never able to figure out how people found out so much about that section until lovely Lady Astor, a Virginian transplanted to England came over not long ago."

"She said Dixie owed its fame to the song writers and ballad singers who press agent it continually. And when you think it over you see she's undoubtedly right."

Georgia Played 'Round the World

"Nearly every photograph in the world plays the modern fox trot 'Georgia,' with its famous lines:

'You put the sweet
In Home Sweet Home,
My own sweet Georgia'

and every college quartette anywhere undoubtedly sings 'My Old Kentucky Home' and 'Dixie.' As for 'Swanee River,' missionaries find that savages use its tune for a war dance."

"They may call the south slow but they can't say she doesn't lead the country in getting free and effective publicity for herself!"

CONVICTS MOST ALL YOUTHS

The average of prisoners at the Arizona penitentiary is under 24 years, declared J. O. Sexton, chairman of the board of pardons and paroles, in an address to members of the Junior chamber of commerce at Phoenix recently on conditions at the state prison.

"EASY STREET"

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